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House of Representatives

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 16, 2014, at 12 noon.

Senate

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The Senate met at 12 noon and was called to order by the President pro tempore (Mr. LEAHY).

PRAYER

The Chaplain, Dr. Barry C. Black, offered the following prayer:
Let us pray.

Eternal God, the giver of every good and perfect gift, thank You for this season of giving that reminds us of Your blessing of salvation.

Your redemptive thread can be seen throughout the fabric of our Nation's history. Redeem us again. Make Your redemptive power give wisdom and courage to our lawmakers as You illu-

minate their path with the light of Your guidance. Empower them to make their decisions after weighing them on the scale of long-term consequences.

Today, bless our United States Capitol Police, who routinely risk their lives for liberty. Surround them and their loved ones with the shield of Your protection and favor.

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CHARLES E. SCHUMER, *Chairman*.

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